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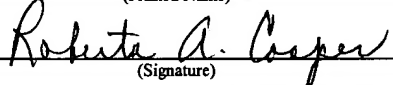
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PETITION TO ACCEPT LOST CORRESPONDENCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10(e)

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An Information Disclosure Statement was filed on June 23, 2004 that included copies of twenty four (24) documents which were either foreign patent documents or non-patent literature documents. Fourteen (14) of these documents were not received by the USPTO.

APPLICANTS HEREBY PETITION THAT THESE DOCUMENTS BE CONSIDERED AS FILED IN THE USPTO ON THE USPS DEPOSIT DATE.

APPLICANTS ALSO REQUEST THAT THE EXAMINER CONSIDER EACH REFERENCE AND INITIAL THE PTO FORM SB/08 PURSUANT TO M.P.E.P. § 609.

In accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.10(e)(1)-(e)(4), Applicants state that: (1) this petition has been filed promptly after becoming aware that the Office has no evidence of receipt of the correspondence, (2) the number of the "Express Mail" mailing label was placed on the paper (i.e., the enclosed IDS) that constitutes the correspondence prior to the original mailing by "Express Mail," (3) a copy of the originally deposited paper (i.e., the enclosed IDS, Form SB/08, and attached references that were not received) that constitute the correspondence showing the number of the "Express Mail" mailing label thereon, a copy of the returned postcard receipt, and a copy of the "Express Mail" mailing label showing the "date-in" are enclosed, and (4) the enclosed copies of the original deposit of the correspondence, the copy

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Applicants note that copies of the Information Disclosure Statement, Form SB/08, and the fourteen references which were not received by the Patent Office are provided with this petition. Applicants have not provided copies of the ten references that are shown as being received by the Patent Office.

Applicants also note that the documents listed on the SB/08 form that are not dated should be assumed to be prior art under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b). However, Applicants reserve the right to show, using any suitable evidence or assertions, that any such reference or portion of such reference is not a 102(b) reference should such a reference be relied upon to reject any of the claims.

Applicants do not believe that any fee is required for the submission of this Petition. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.18, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1447.

Respectfully submitted,

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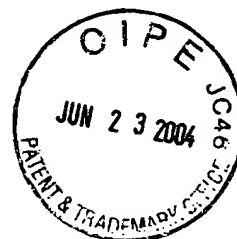
- Amendment Transmittal (3 pgs.);
- Amendment and Reply (14 pgs.);
- Information Disclosure Statement (3 pgs.);
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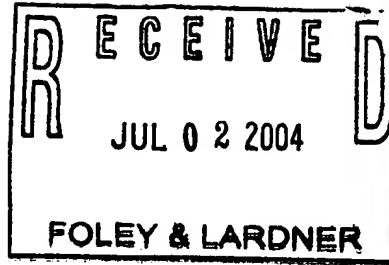
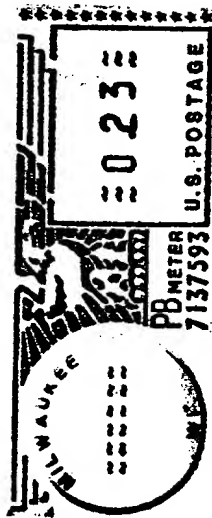
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